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Dear Mr. Lake:

I adamantly object to the US participation in the current CODEX food labeling campaign.


I feel that the US population has a right to know if the food they are buying has been produced using genetic engineering of any sort or contains bovine growth hormone.

We should have a choice and not have these decisions made for us behind closed doors.

I am especially concerned because there have been no long term studies proving (or disproving) the safety of both genetically engineered food and bovine growth hormone or their effects on human health.

We, the US public deserve full knowledge of the source and content of the foods we eat. Please do not take that choice away from us.

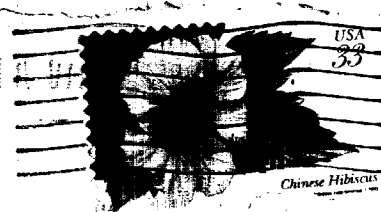
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